

~~AMENDMENT TO H.R. 6~~OFFERED BY M. Ab

In title II, subtitle A, add at the end the following
new section:

1 **SEC. 209. SUGAR CANE ETHANOL PILOT PROGRAM.**

2 (a) **DEFINITIONS.**—In this section:

3 (1) **PROGRAM.**—The term “program” means
4 the Sugar Cane Ethanol Pilot Program established
5 by subsection (b).

6 (2) **SECRETARY.**—The term “Secretary” means
7 the Secretary of Energy.

8 (b) **ESTABLISHMENT.**—There is established within
9 the Department of Energy a program to be known as the
10 “Sugar Cane Ethanol Pilot Program”.

11 (c) **PROJECT.**—

12 (1) **IN GENERAL.**—In carrying out the program,
13 the Secretary shall establish a pilot project that is—

14 (A) located in the State of Hawaii; and

15 (B) designed to study the creation of eth-
16 anol from cane sugar.

17 (2) **REQUIREMENTS.**—A pilot project described
18 in paragraph (1) shall—



1 (A) be limited to the production of ethanol
2 in Hawaii in a way similar to the existing pro-
3 gram for the processing of corn for ethanol to
4 show that the process can be applicable to cane
5 sugar;

6 (B) include information on how the scale
7 of projection can be replicated once the sugar
8 cane industry has site located and constructed
9 ethanol production facilities; and

10 (C) not last more than 3 years.

11 (d) AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.—There
12 are authorized to be appropriated to carry out this section
13 \$8,000,000, to remain available until expended.

